

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hideaki TESHIMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2653

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DISCONTINUOUS POSITION DETECTING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR

DETECTING A DISCONTINUOUS POSITION

CONFIRMATION OF TELEPHONE ELECTION

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Sir:

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A telephone requirement for restriction was made in connection with the above-identified patent application on June 21, 2004.

The undersigned confirms that in response to that telephone requirement, a provisional election was made to prosecute Group I, claims 1-17 and 22.

Said provisional election was specifically made with traverse since no basis therefor has been set forth in the written record.

Respectful.

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